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In response to the communication dated March 27, 2002 (copy enclosed), applicants submit herewith a Sequence Listing in computer readable form as required by 37 CFR §1.824. In addition, applicants submit a substitute Sequence Listing as required under 37 CFR §1.823(a) and a statement under 37 CFR §1.821(f).

Applicants respectfully request entry of the paper copy and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed herewith for the instant application. Furthermore, applicants request entry of the following amendment.

In the specification:

Replace the original Sequence Listing with the substitute Sequence Listing filed herewith following the Oath/Declaration.

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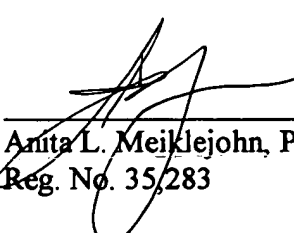
**REMARKS**

Applicants hereby submit that the enclosures fulfill the requirements under 37 C.F.R. §1.821-1.825. The amendment in the specification merely inserts the paper copy of the Sequence Listing in the specification. No new matter has been added.

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Respectfully submitted,

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***R sponse to Election***

1. The election without traverse filed July 16, 2002 in Paper No. 18 is acknowledged and ~~has~~ been entered.

2. The reply filed on July 16, 2002 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):


Applicants failed to place the application in compliance with the Sequence Rules set forth under 37 CFR §§ 1.821-1.825, as was required in the previous Office Action mailed June 19, 2002 (Paper No. 16). See 37 CFR § 1.111.

3. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, Applicants are given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a).

4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Stephen L. Rawlings, Ph.D. whose telephone number is (703) 305-3008. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday, alternate Fridays, 8:00AM-5:30PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Anthony C. Caputa, Ph.D. can be reached on (703) 308-3995. The fax phone numbers for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned are (703) 308-4242 for regular communications and (703) 308-4242 for After Final communications.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 308-0196.

  
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